

Kimball House
Paris (Paris Hill), Maine

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"KIMBALL HOUSE"

Paris (Hill), Oxford County, Maine

Present Owner

E. R. Guyer

Date of Erection

1815

Builder

Captain Samuel Rawson

Description

A three story rectangular red brick house with low sloping hip roof, four inside chimneys near the ends of the roof. The house is set on a granite foundation. The central front entrance with sunburst and side lights is attractive. It is not known if the side entrance is original. A well designed closed balustrade surrounds the roof at the eaves.

Other existing Records

Brief History of house in Waterman's "A City on a Hill", pub. by Merrill & Webber, Auburn, Maine 1931.

Additional Data

This house is known as ^{one of} the most attractive mansions on Paris Hill.

The house became known as the Kimball House because on the death of Captain Rawson, his daughter, Mrs. Frances Kimball, and later her son Admiral William W. Kimball, were owners.

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